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inside!



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20
BIKES
to be won



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in
our 4-comics
'HUBBA BUBBA' COMPETITION

Also PART 2 LEOPARDBOY BOOKLET

Buster's Diary

Mum told me to wash
because posh Aunt Mildred
and snooty Cousin Cyril
were coming...

DOPS!
THE SOAP'S
SHOT OUT
OF THE
WINDOW!



I'LL GO AND PICK
IT UP BEFORE AUNTIE
ARRIVES!



But Auntie arrived
on my soap...

YEEAAGH!

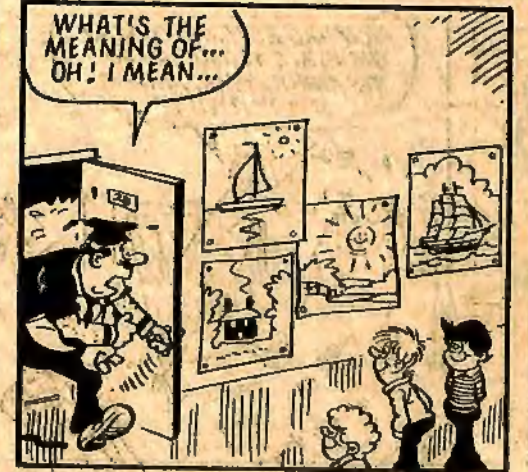
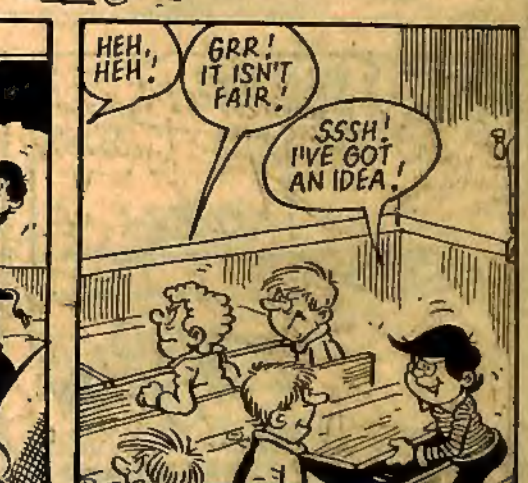
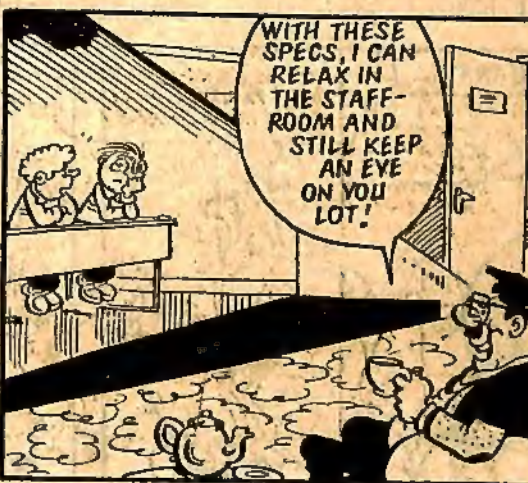
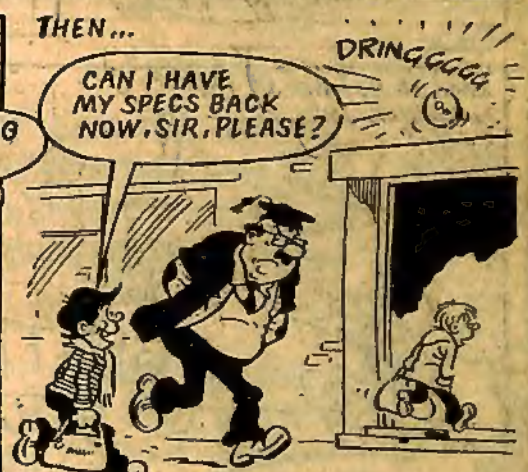
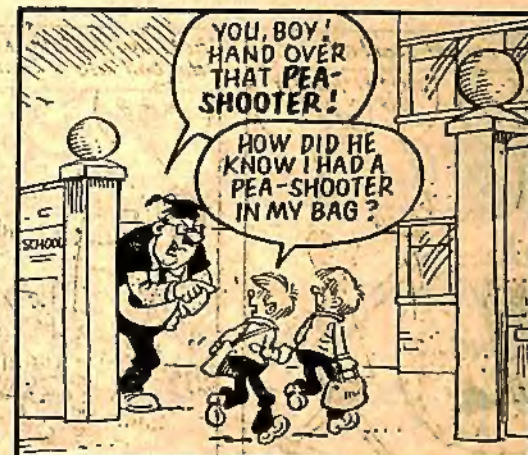
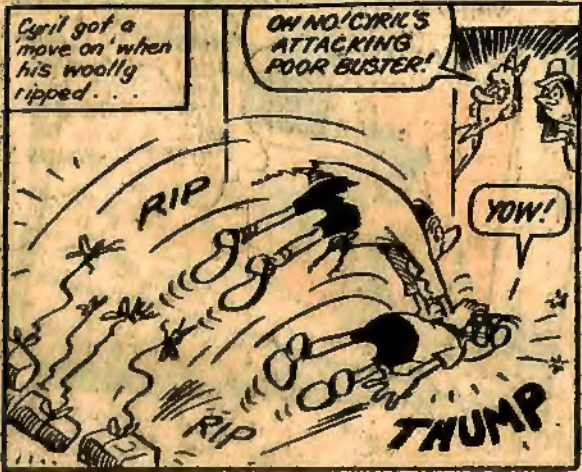
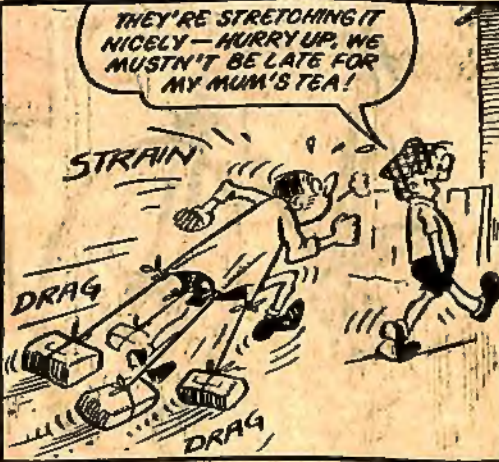
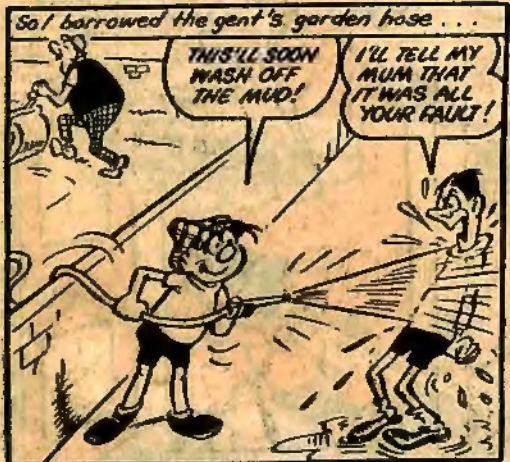


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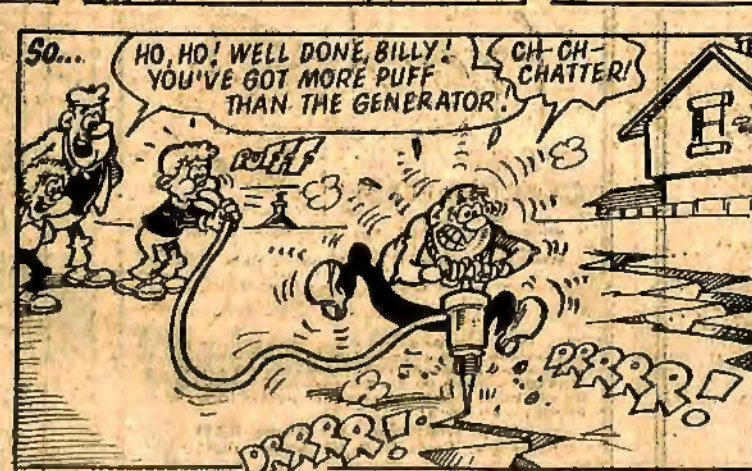
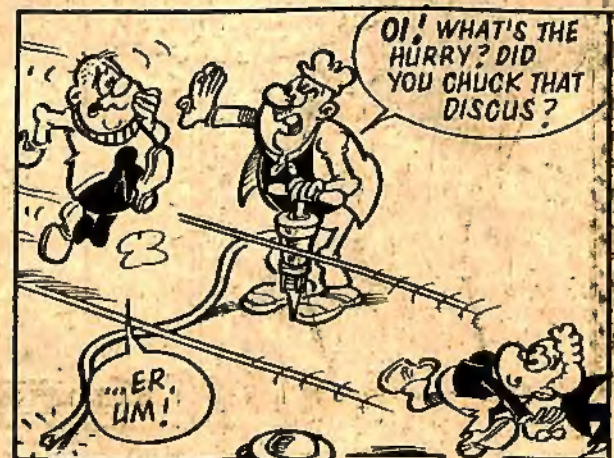
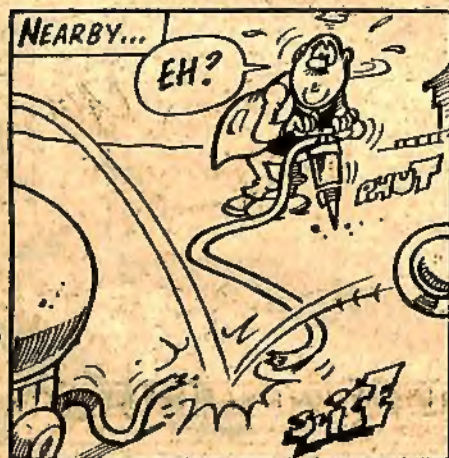
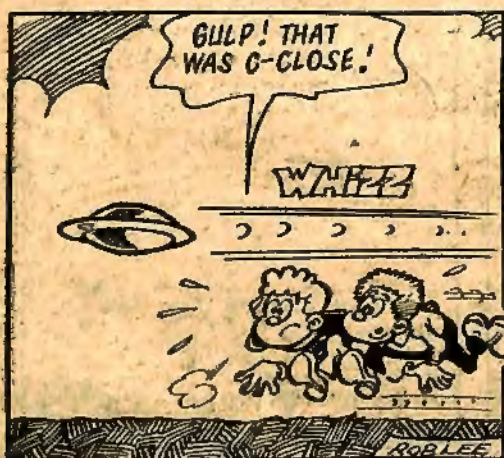
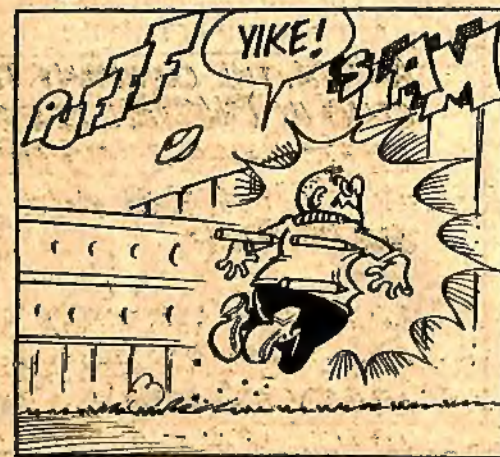
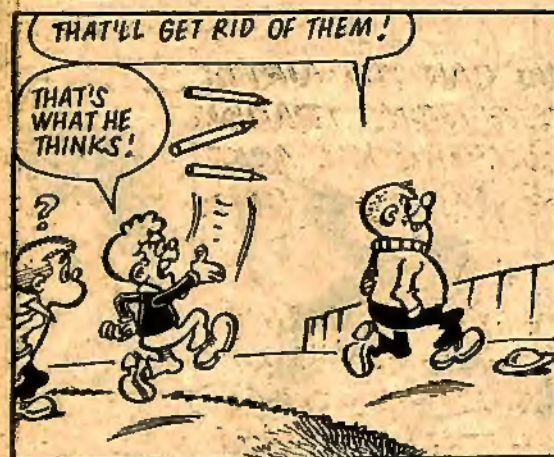
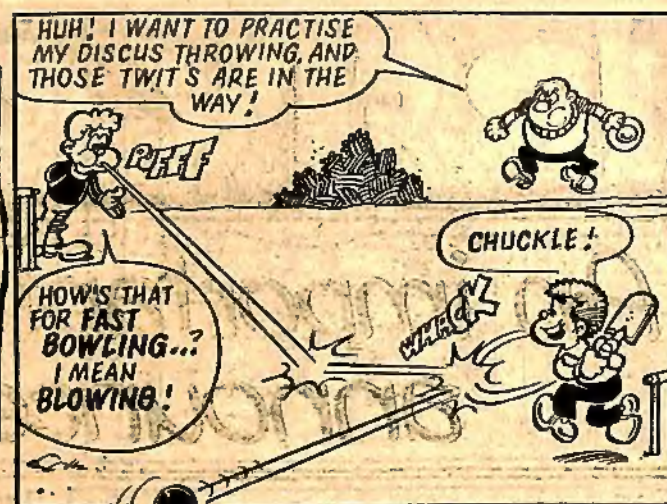
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BILLY BLOW



The AIRFIX CLUB



An important announcement...

AIRFIX, THE COMPANY THAT RAN THE AIRFIX CLUB IN BUSTER, IS EXPERIENCING TRADING DIFFICULTIES... SO OUR EDITOR HAS ASKED ME TO TELL YOU THAT THE CLUB HAS BEEN SUSPENDED.

SO DO NOT SEND ANY MONEY TO THE CLUB, PALS, AND THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE SENT MONEY RECENTLY... PLEASE DON'T WRITE TO US. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Your pal
Buster



MAKE ME LAUGH
and win a TEE-NEE SHIRT!

See Buster's Joke-Box.



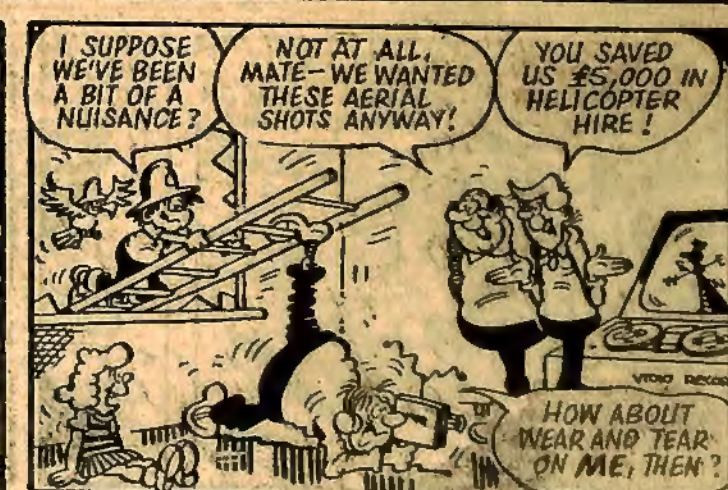
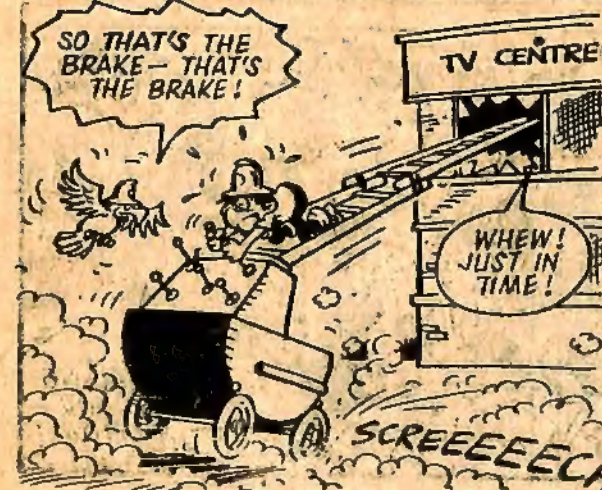
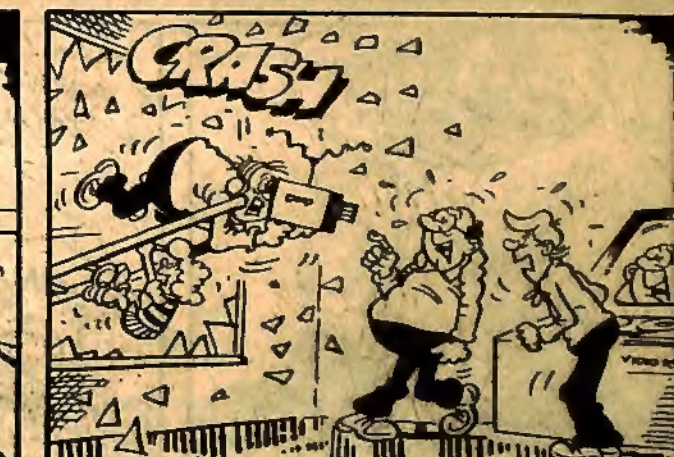
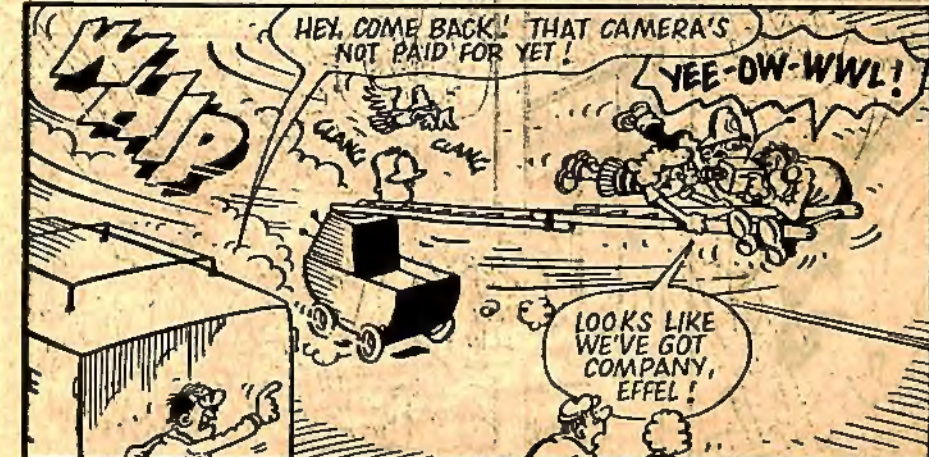
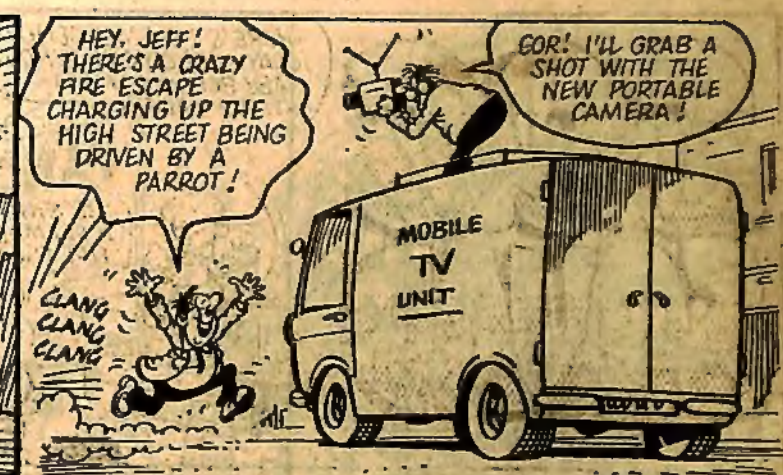
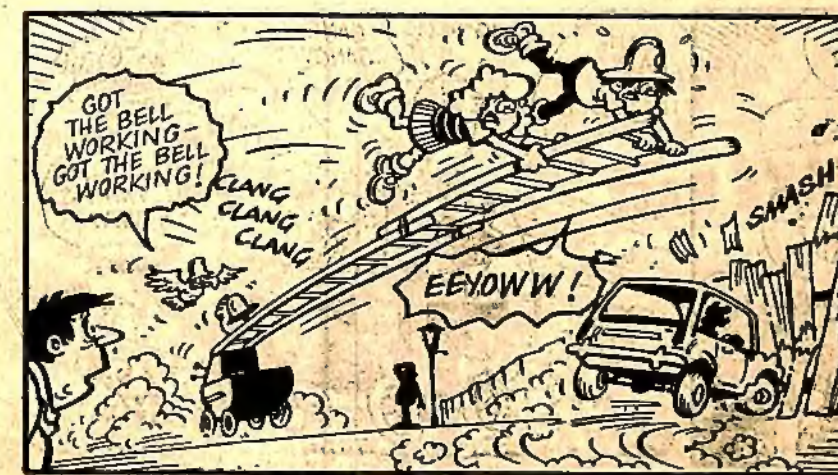
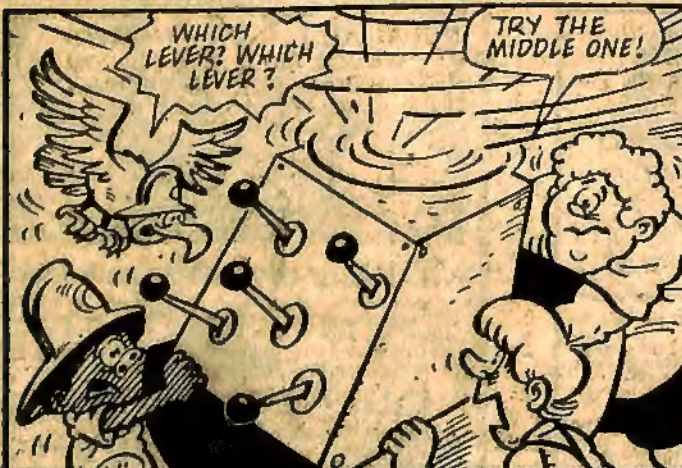
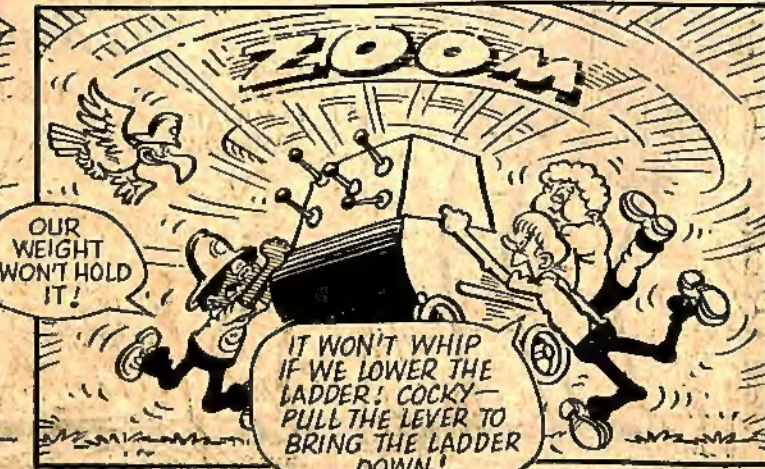
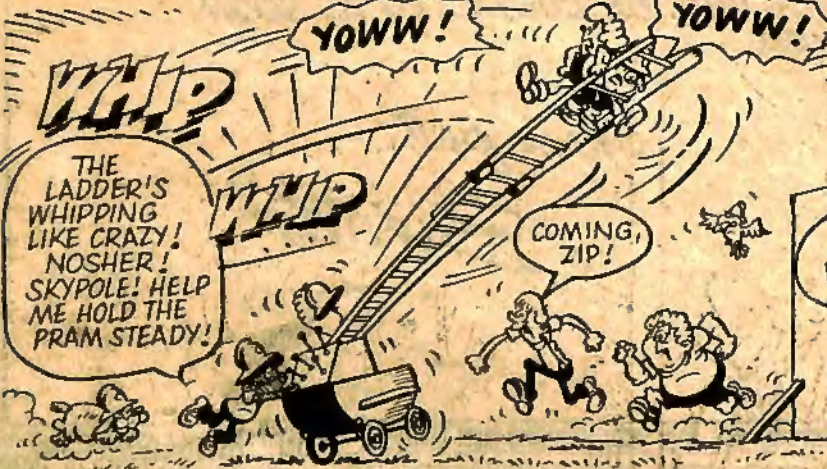
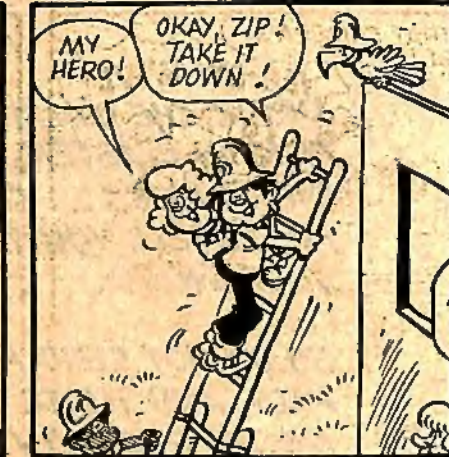
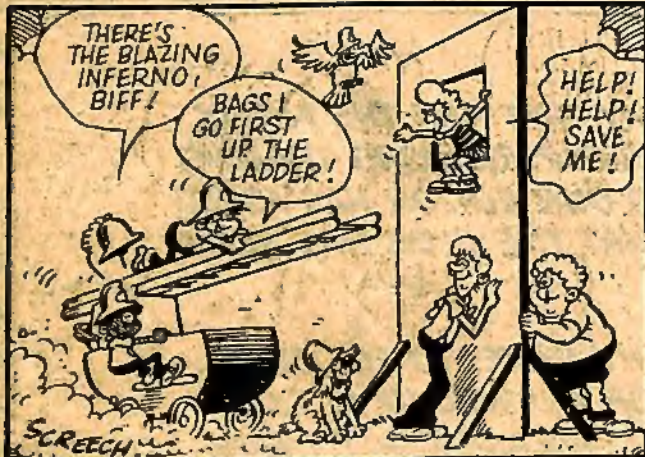
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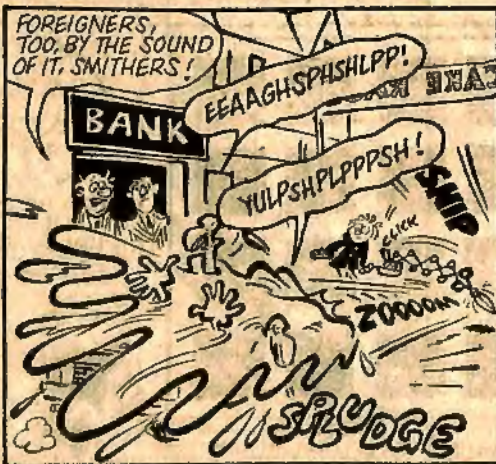
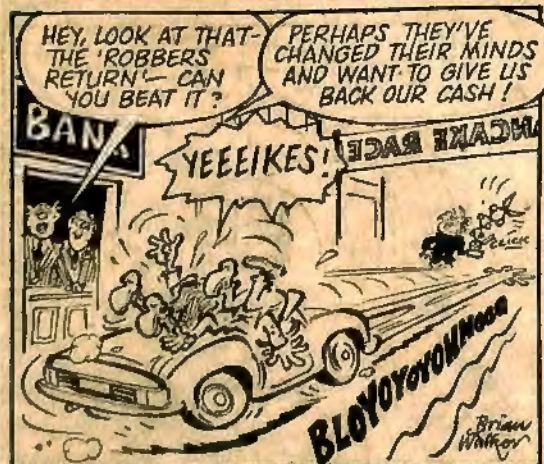
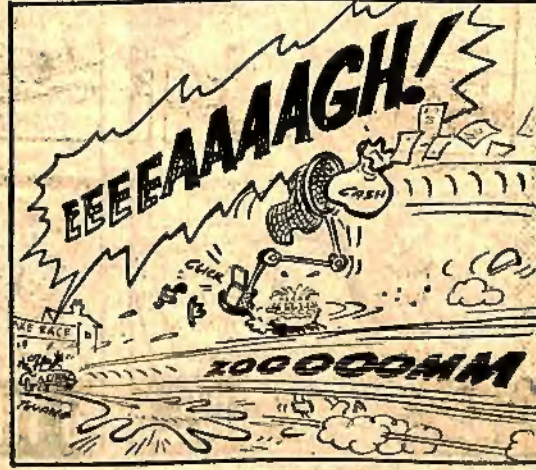
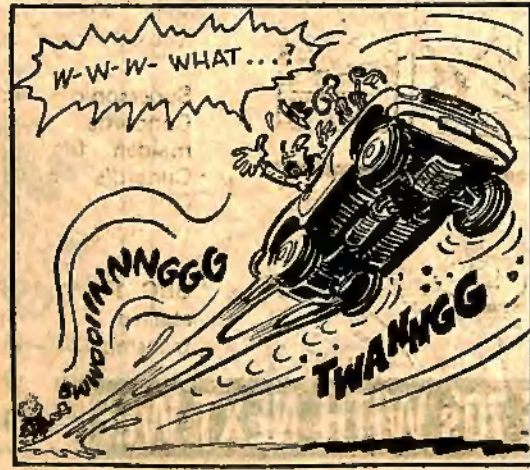
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2. What country issued "The Penny Black" in 1840?
3. Have Writers or Poets ever appeared on British stamps?
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Prizes: 12 diff. Great Britain stamps sent free for each correct answer. If all 4 answers correct, we will send you 50 diff. G.B. stamps plus a fine facsimile block of 8 unused PENNY BLACKS (Genuine originals would cost £1,000 or more!). Our final How Approvals will also be sent to all entrants. Please enclose 111/2p stamp for postage. (Please tell your parents you are writing.)
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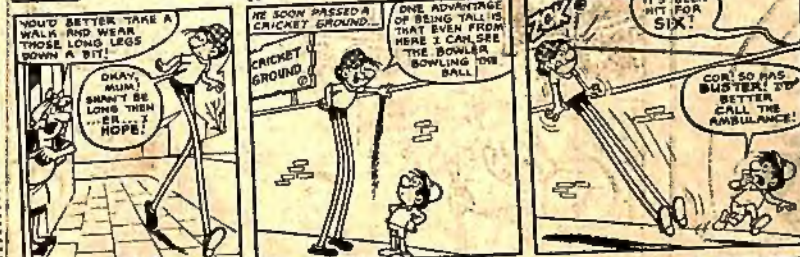
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BUSTER 7d

EVERY MONDAY and Giggles 28th JUNE, 1969



The biggest event of 1969 happened on July 1st, when American astronauts Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin became the first men ever to set foot on the Moon.



OUR VINTAGE YEARS... 1969



ANOTHER COVER FROM THE 60s

WE'RE 21 THIS YEAR!

This week our oldtime Buster cover is from the year 1969, a year of many outstanding achievements.

Manchester City won the F.A. Cup and the League Cup. Malcolm Allison was assistant manager at the time and earned the nickname "Big Malt", or... "Big Mal"!

Cambridge won the boat race, and in tennis Ann Jones of Britain took the ladies' singles title at Wimbledon. She became the 'love' of all British tennis fans.

Two British seafarers made history that year... John Fairfax rowed across the Atlantic, and Robin Knox Johnston sailed non-stop around the world.

Supersonic airliner Concorde had its maiden flight... Cunard's new liner Queen Elizabeth II had its maiden voyage.

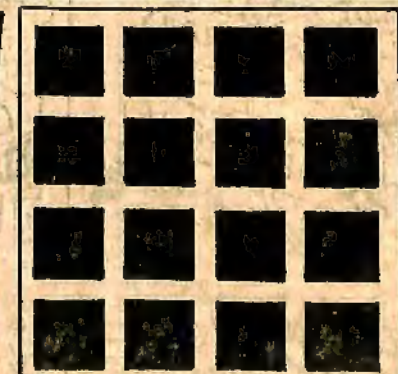
BBC 1 and ITV both started television transmissions in colour.



WE MOVE INTO THE 70's WITH NEXT WEEK'S OLDTIME COVER!



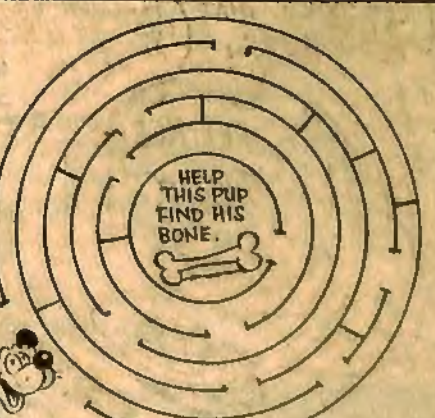
IF YOU CAN'T READ THIS, CLOSE ONE EYE AND HOLD THE PAGE HORIZONTALLY UP TO YOUR EYES...



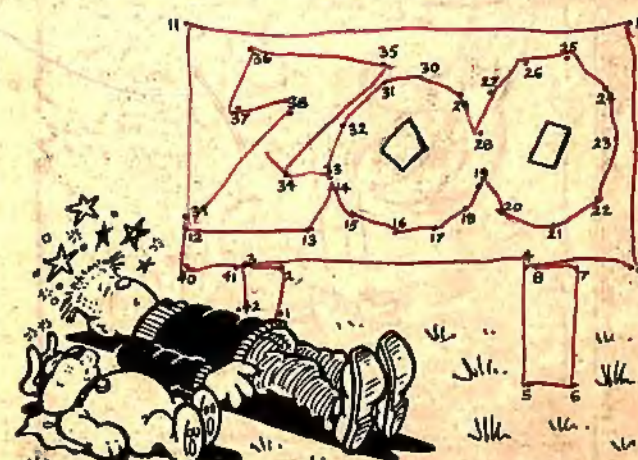
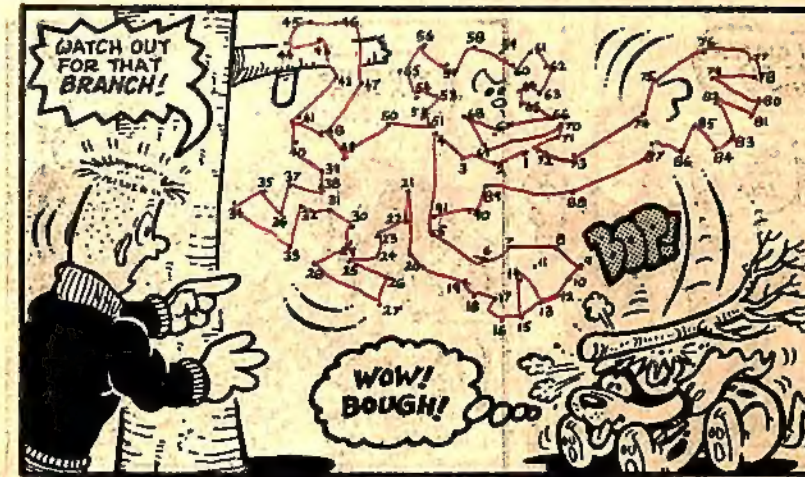
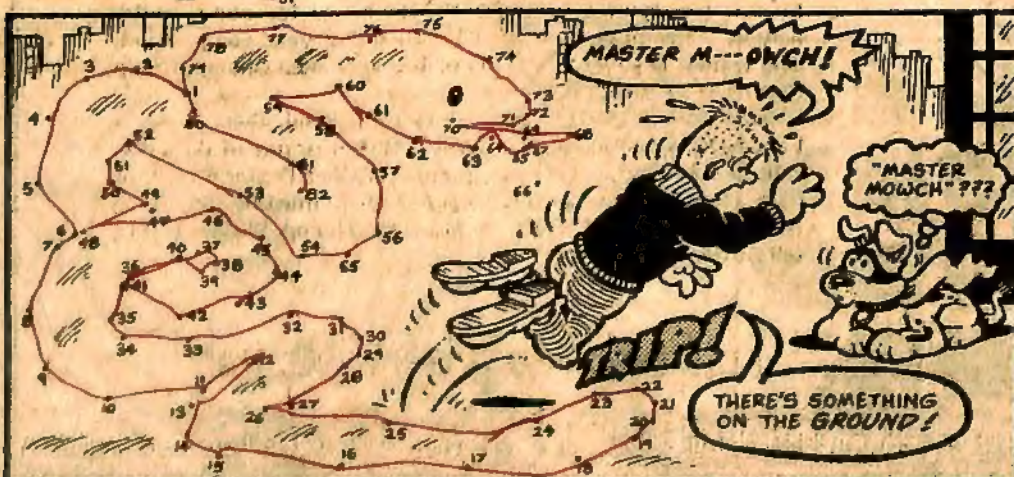
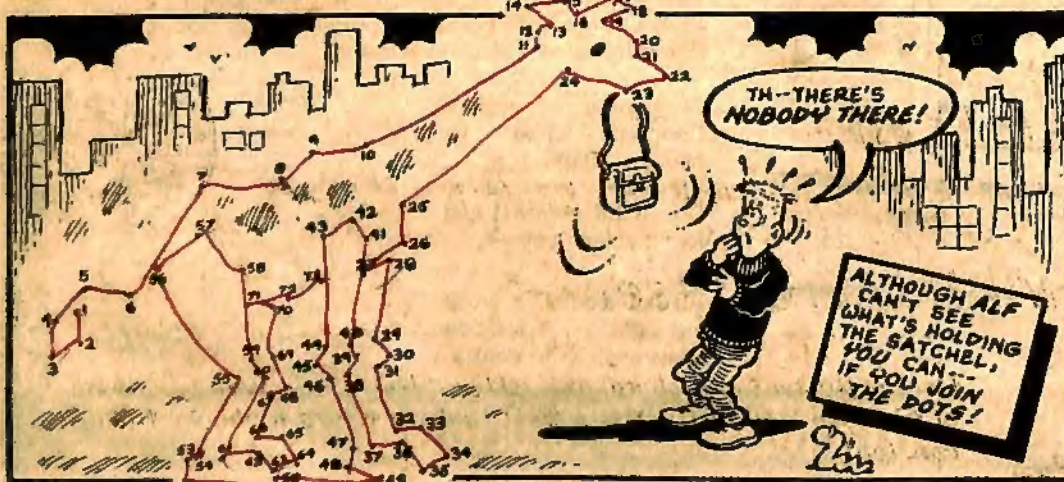
RAY CAN SEE SMALL GREY SQUARES BETWEEN THE BLACK ONES. SO CAN YOU, TOO!



HERE'S AN EVERY-DAY OBJECT FROM AN UNUSUAL ANGLE. WHAT IS IT?



ANSWERS:—CHALKY, KETTLE



"I RECKON I SHOULD BE BUSTER'S CHAMPION READER"

says RICHARD LEE, of Essex



Here is Buster fan Richard, of Buckhurst Hill, Essex, with just some of his collection of Busters—AND Richard wears a cheeky Buster cap, too!

Entries are pouring into the Buster office for our it-could-be-you 'Champion Reader' 21st Birthday year competition. The winner is going to get his or her very own Championship Cup AND a terrific prize.

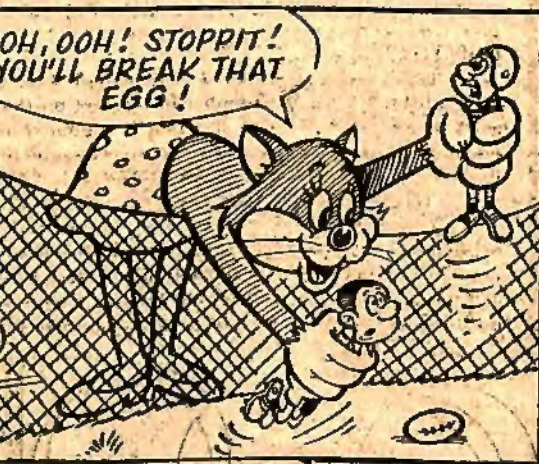
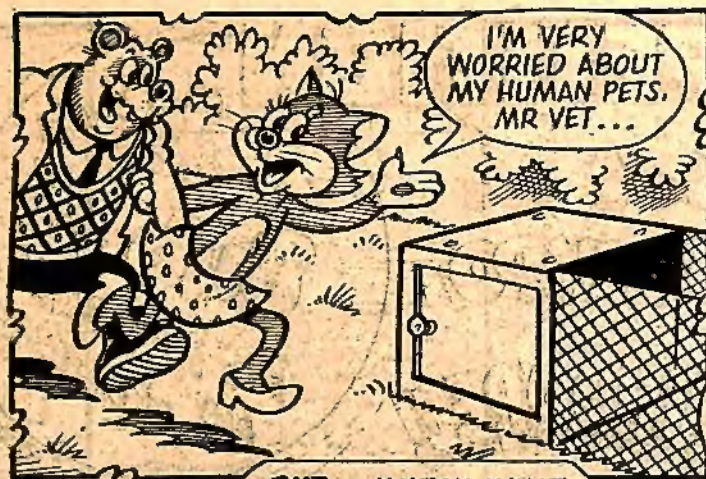
Done some great Buster drawings? Send them. Won a Fancy Dress competition dressed as Buster or one of the other folk in our comic? Send us a picture. Made a Buster model, or have a friend called Kate Crabapple? There must be something that makes you feel YOU could be the champ. Whatever it is, tell Buster about it.

Let's be hearing from you, pals!

POST YOUR ENTRY TO:-

BUSTER'S CHAMPION READER, Room 2010, King's Reach Tower, Stamford Street, London, SE1 9LS.

ALL HUMANS TALL and SMALL



FREE COMPETITION
for readers of
BUSTER • JACKPOT
Tammy • WHOOPEE!

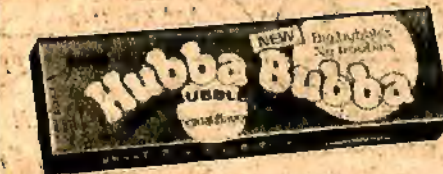
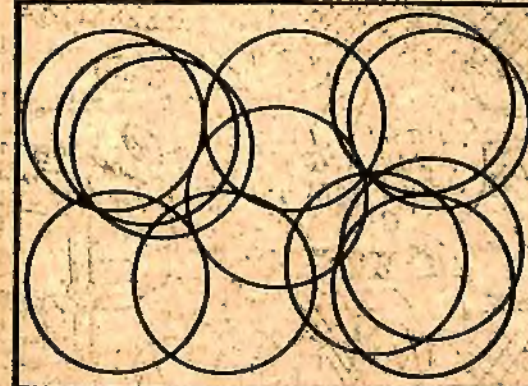


HOW TO ENTER

We're sure you are good at blowing bubble gum bubbles, but how good are you at counting them? How many Hubba Bubba bubbles can you spot in our puzzle below? Write the number in the box on the entry coupon then make up an amusing last line for the incomplete verse. Add your name, age and address, get a parent or guardian to sign that it is your own unaided work, then neatly cut out the coupon and paste it on a postcard (if you haven't a postcard, seal down an empty envelope and paste your coupon on the back). Post to: BUBBLE GUM BUBBLES COMPETITION, 55 EWER STREET, LONDON, SE99 6YP to arrive not later than Wednesday, 18th March, 1981.

The competition is appearing in this week's issues of TAMMY, WHOOPEE, BUSTER and JACKPOT, so you can obtain extra entry coupons. All entries will be examined and the prizes will be awarded to entrants who correctly solve the puzzle and who are judged to have submitted the most original and amusing last lines for the rhyme — in order of merit and with age considered.

The competition is open to all readers in the U.K. and Eire other than children of employees of IPC Magazines Ltd, the printers of Buster, Tammy, Jackpot and Whoopee and of The Wrigley Company Limited. The Judges' decisions will be final, and no correspondence will be entered into. Winners will be notified, and the results will be published later in this comic.



BUSTER/ TAMMY/
JACKPOT/ WHOOPEE!

BUBBLE GUM BUBBLES COMPETITION
FREE ENTRY COUPON

Now make up a last line for this rhyme:

Write in this box
the number of
Hubba Bubba bubbles
you have spotted

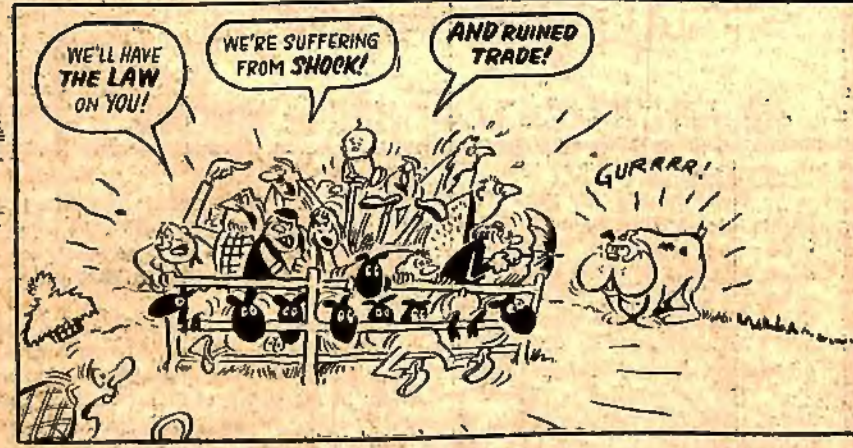
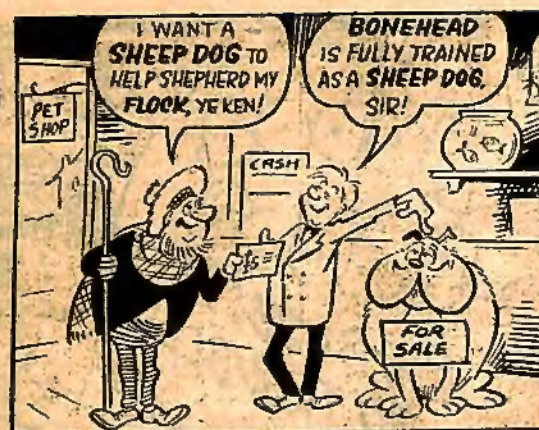
You think you can blow a good bubble?
And you're sure that you've plenty of puff?
Then run to your shop at the double

NAME
(Block letters)
ADDRESS

AGE

I verify that this is the entrant's own unaided work

SIGNED
(Parent/Guardian)



**YOUR
LEOPARDBOY
BOOKLET**

Here is the 2nd part of your Leopardboy Booklet. Pull out the centre pages, fold back and cut along the dotted line as marked. Now tuck these pages inside the first part of your booklet. Part 3 will be in your next week's BUSTER.



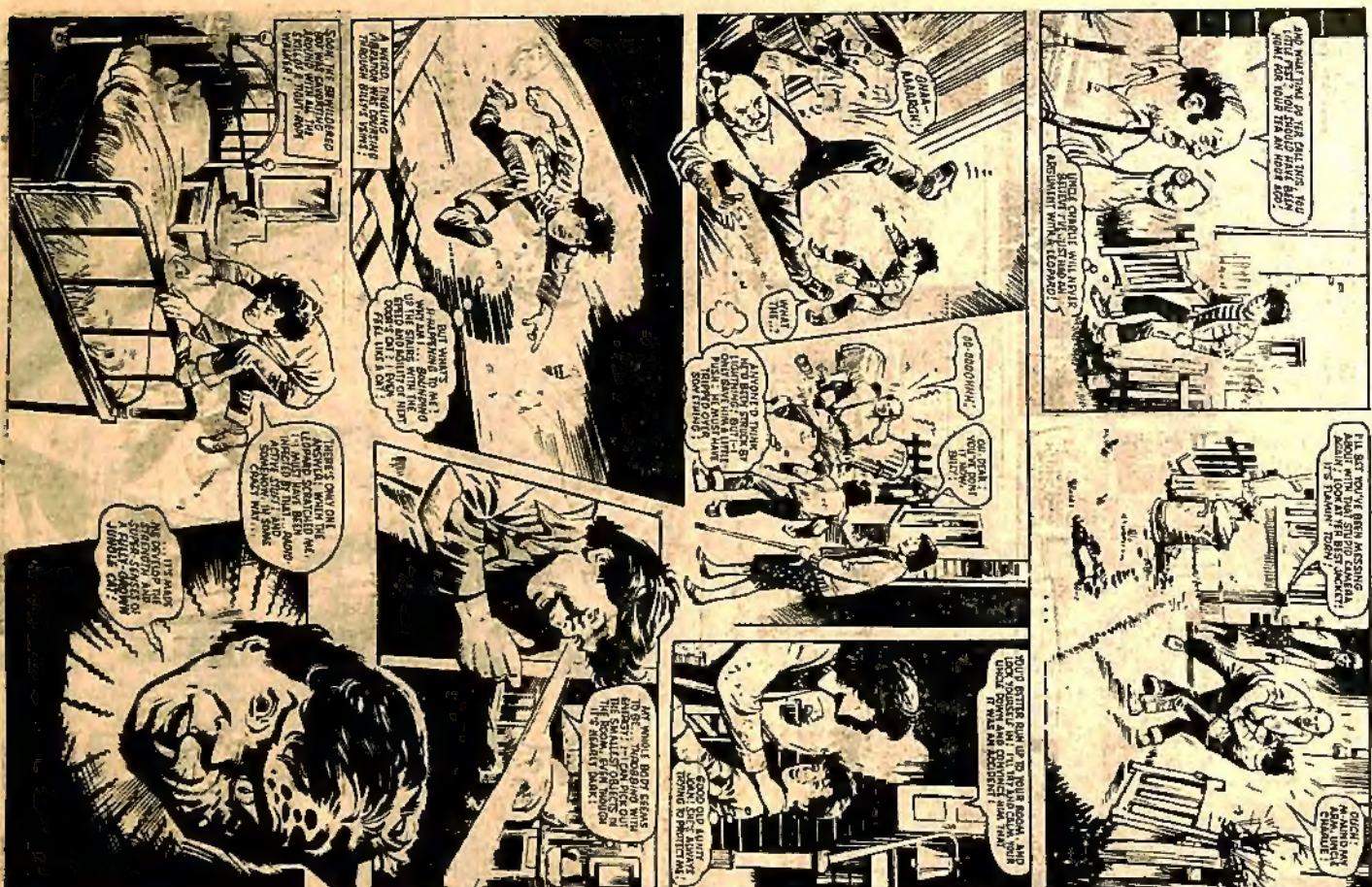
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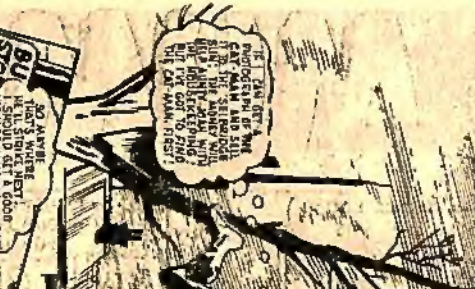
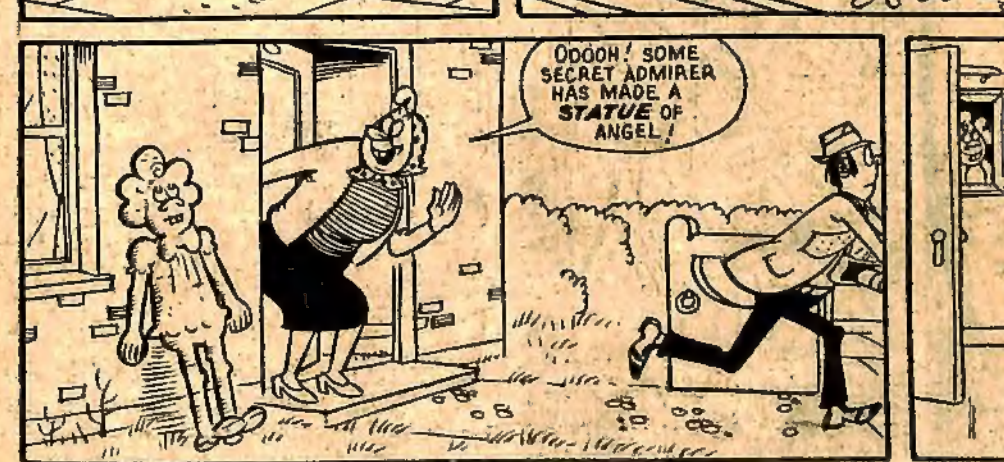
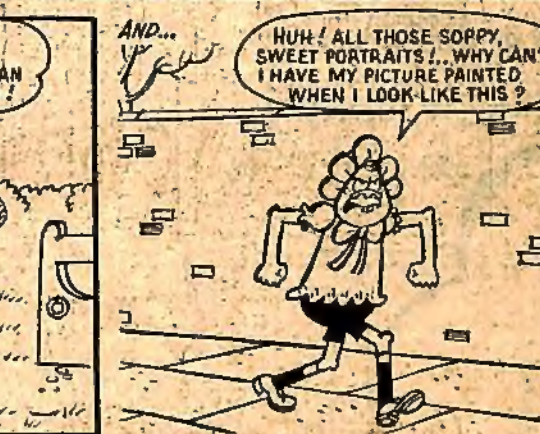
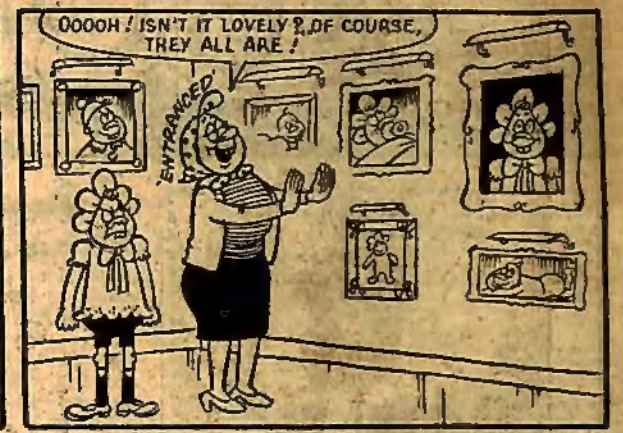


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BUSTER'S BONUS JOKE-BOX

£1 FOR THE
SENDER OF
EACH JOKE
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PLUS...

...a
**super
BUSTER
T-SHIRT**



MY THREE FAVOURITE STORIES
IN BUSTER ARE:

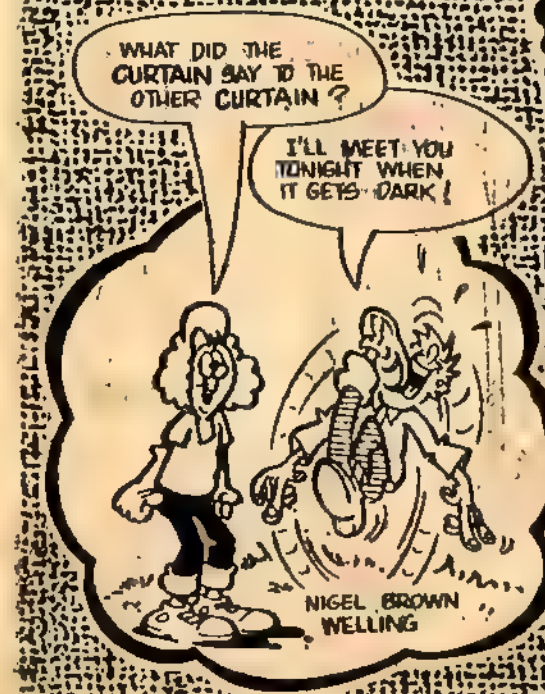
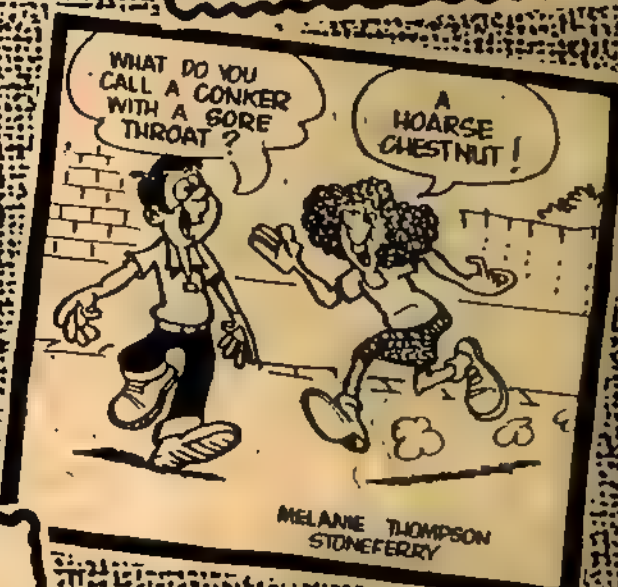
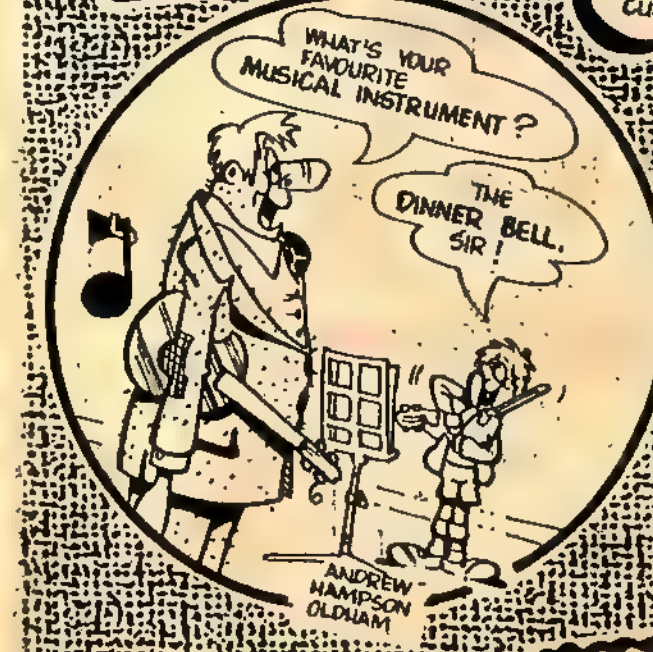
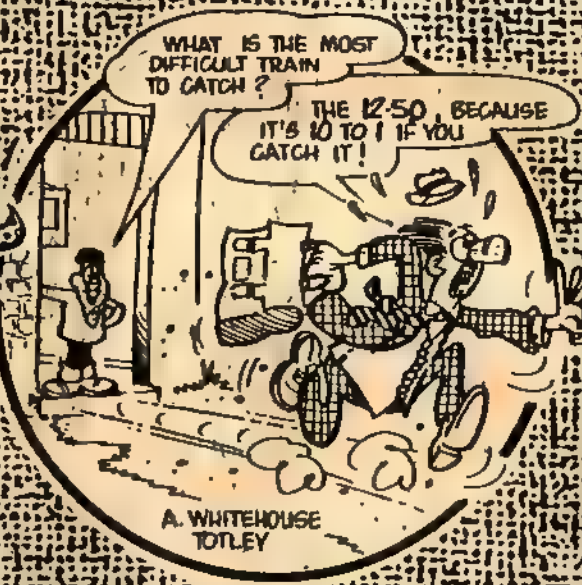
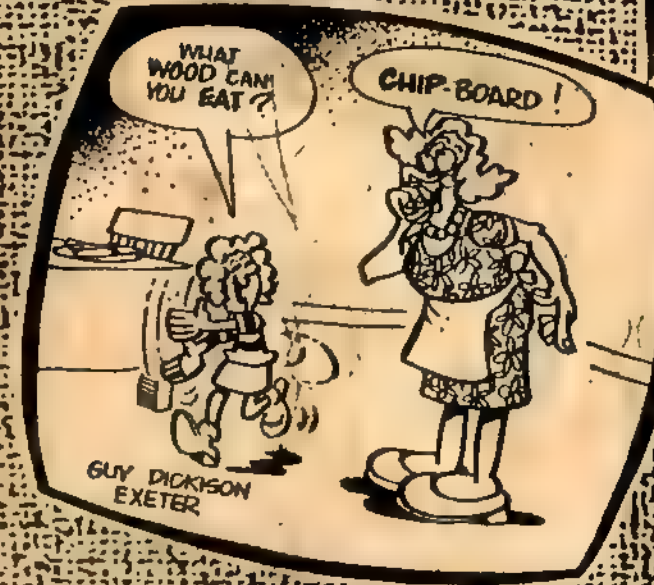
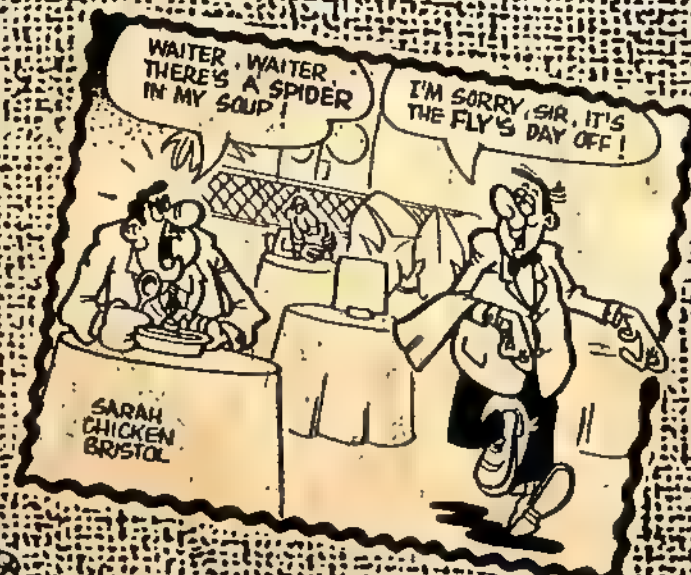
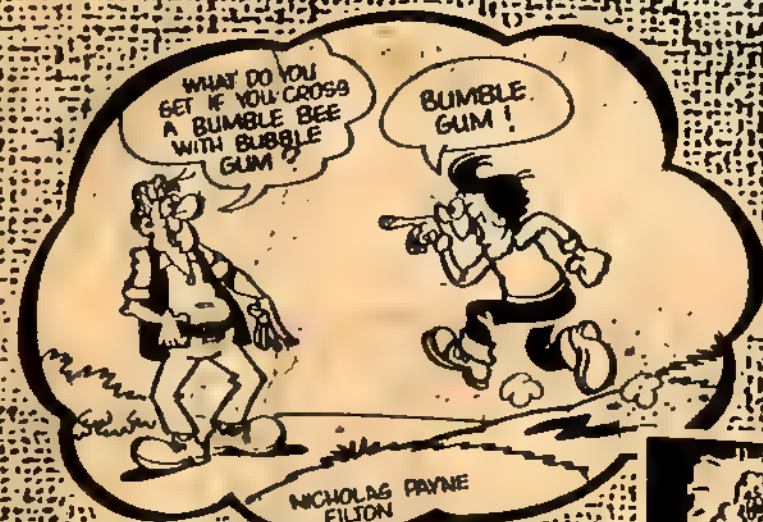
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- 2.
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BUSTER T-SHIRT. TICK YOUR SIZE:

SMALL ☐ MEDIUM ☐

WRITE your joke clearly on a postcard with your full name and address, then fill in the coupon on the left, stating which size T-shirt you would like, and paste it on the postcard. Post to: "BUSTER'S JOKE-BOX", Room 2010, King's Reach Tower, Stamford Street, London, SE1 9LS. Readers whose jokes are selected for publication will each receive £1 plus a BUSTER T-shirt. When similar jokes are received, the first one to be judged will be awarded the prize. NOTE: This offer is open to readers in England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and Channel Islands only.

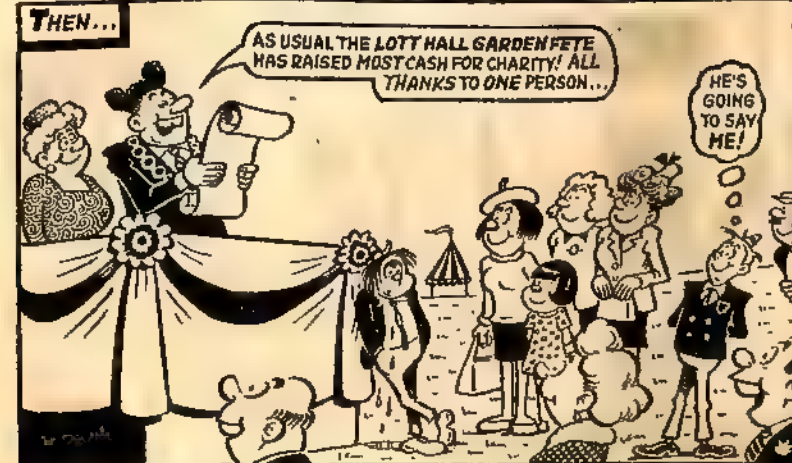
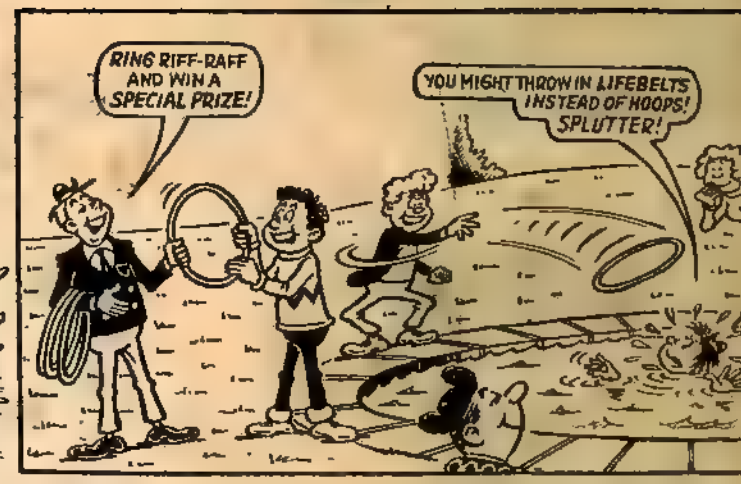
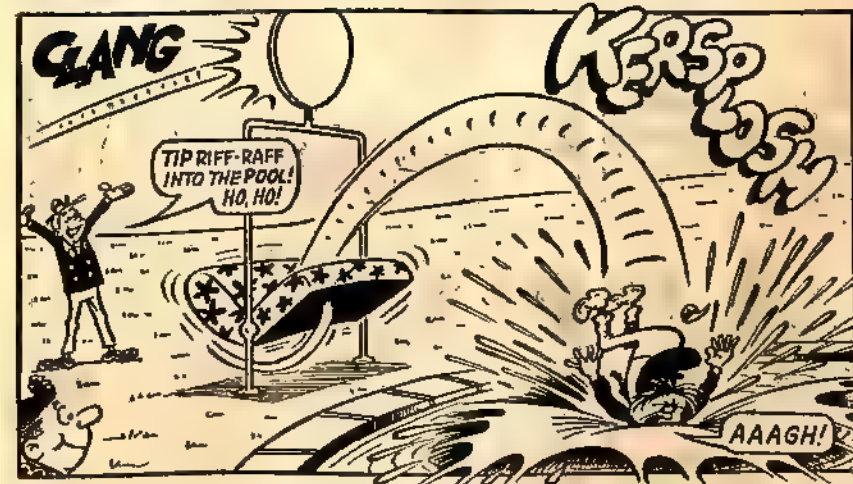
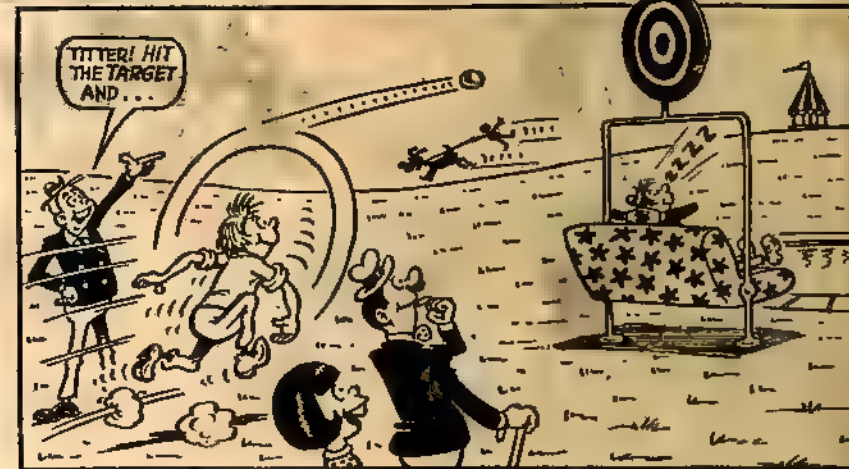
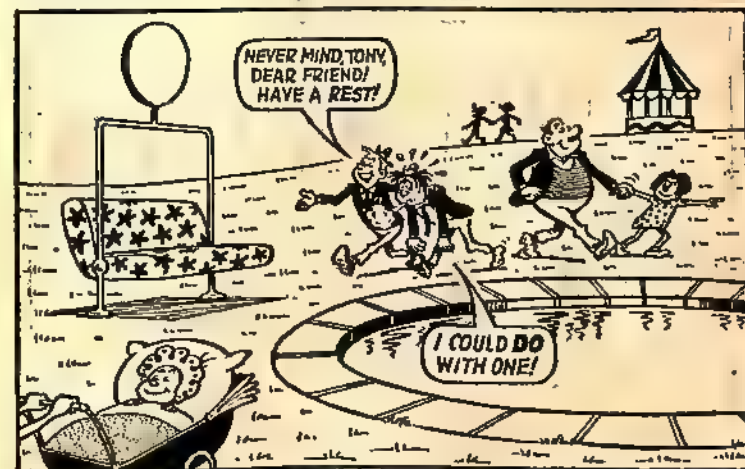
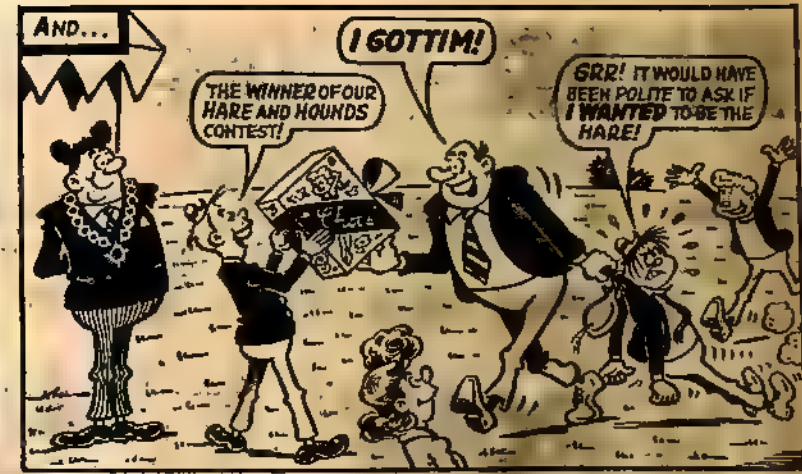
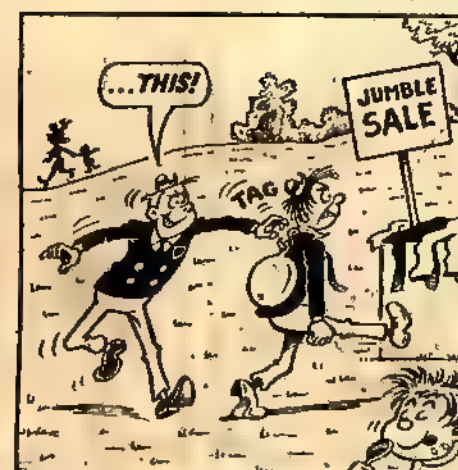
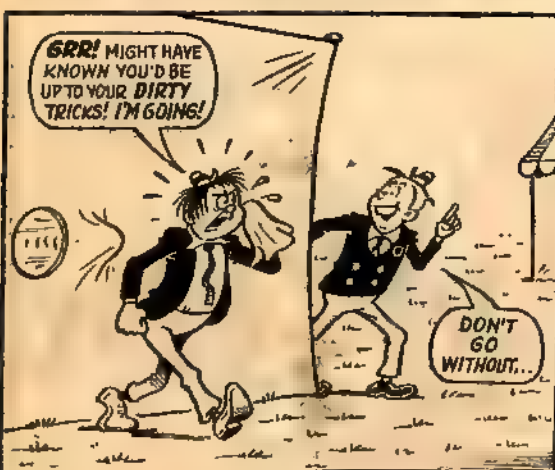
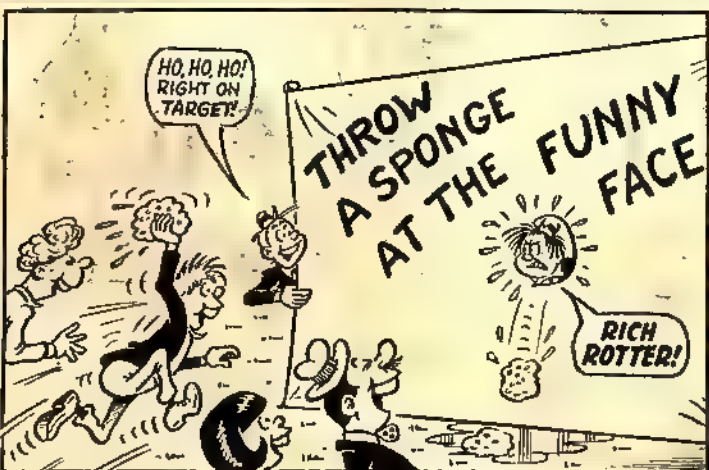
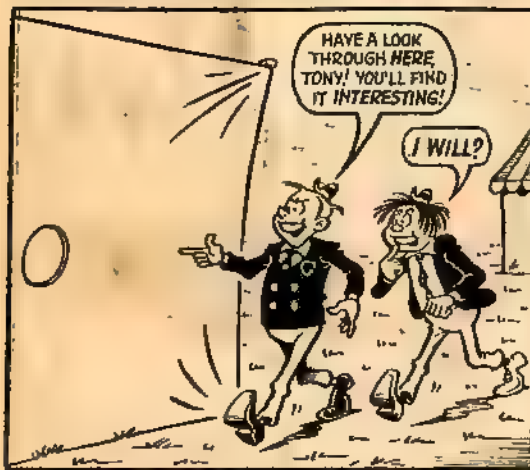
PLEASE FILL IN THIS COUPON IN INK
AND PASTE IT TO YOUR POSTCARD.



Now you see me... **Disappearing** **TRIX** ...Now you don't!

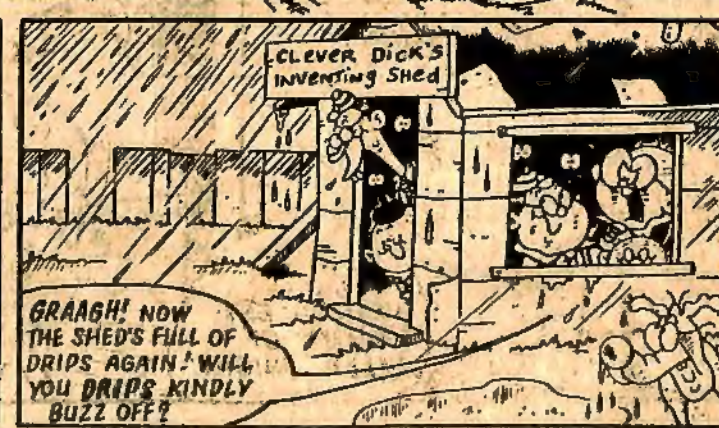
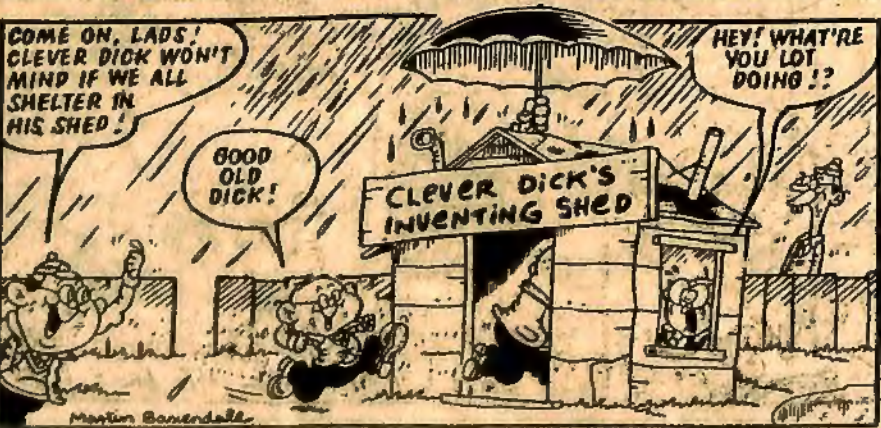
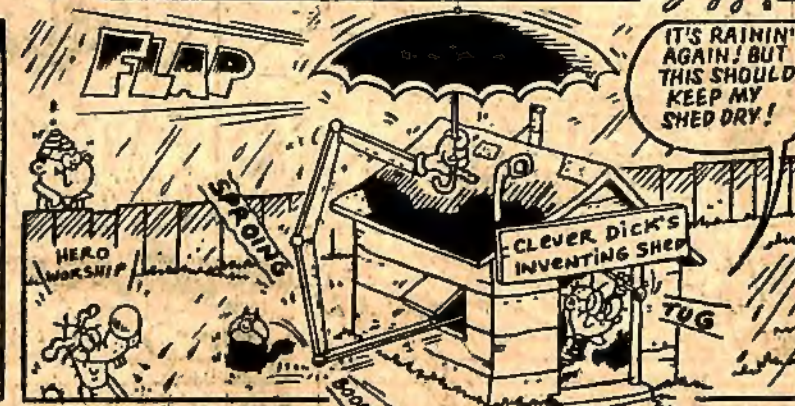
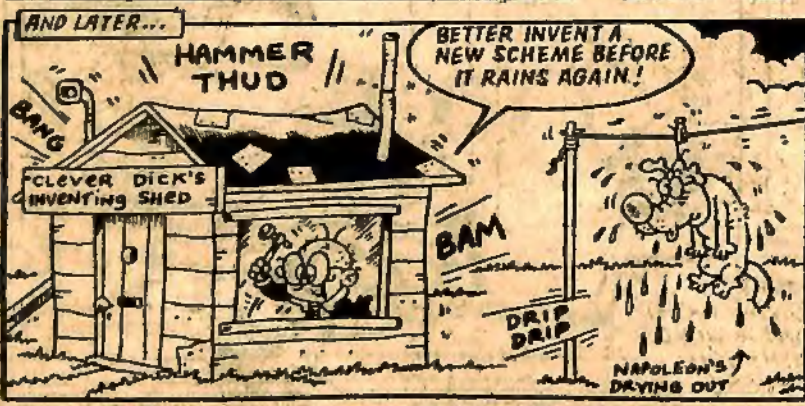
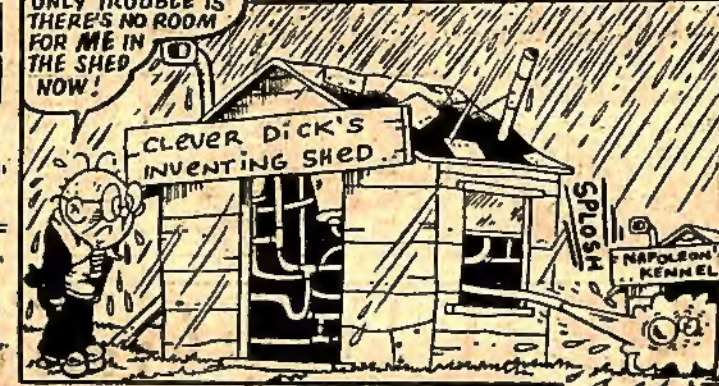
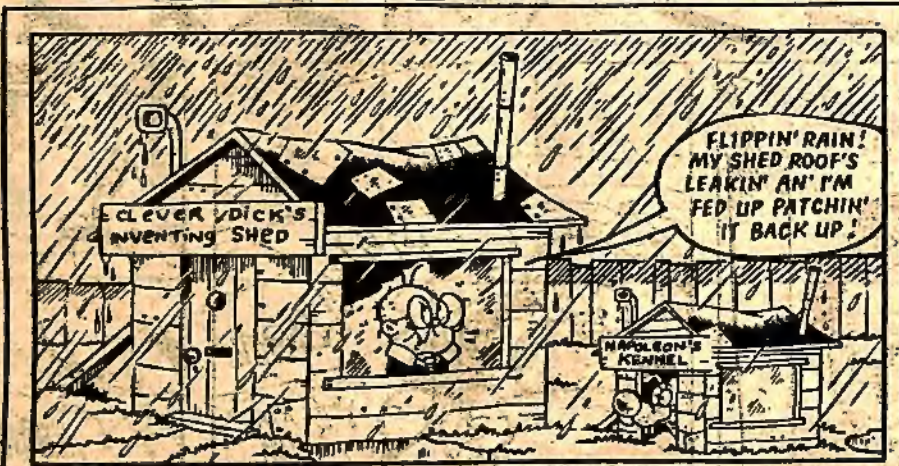
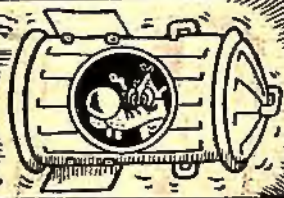


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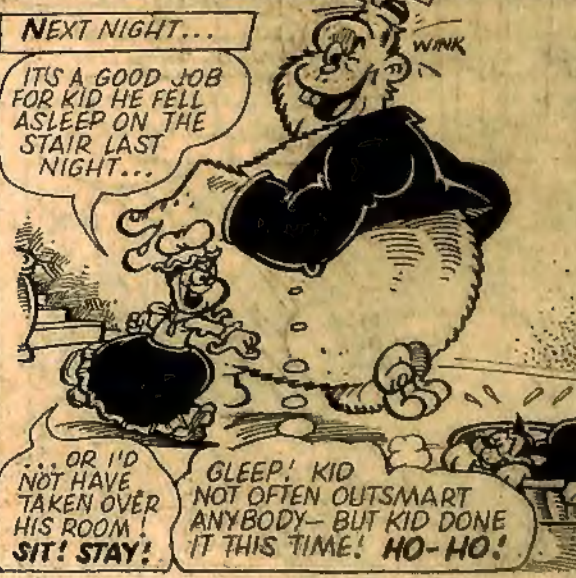
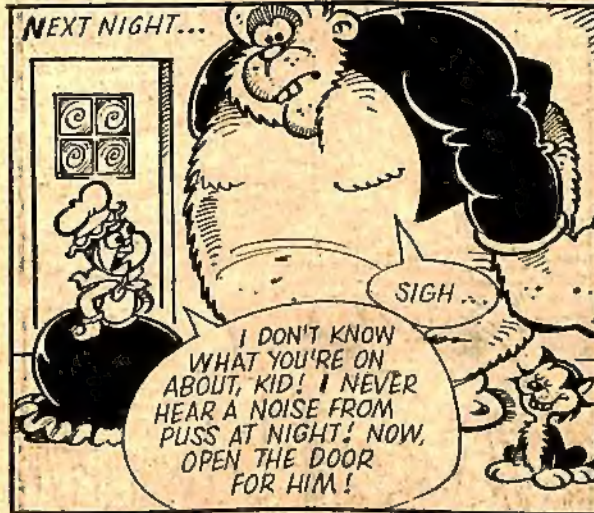
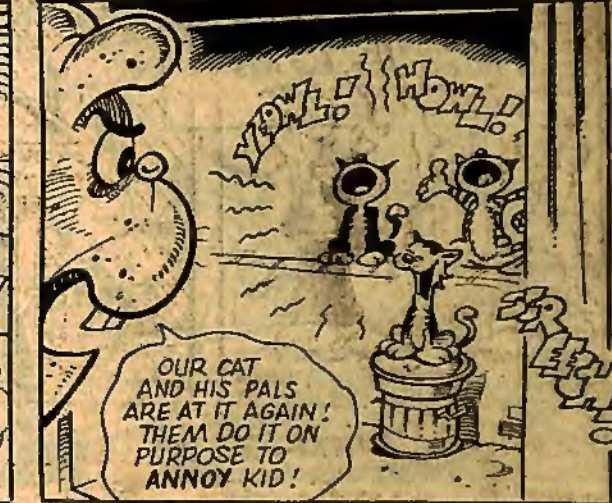
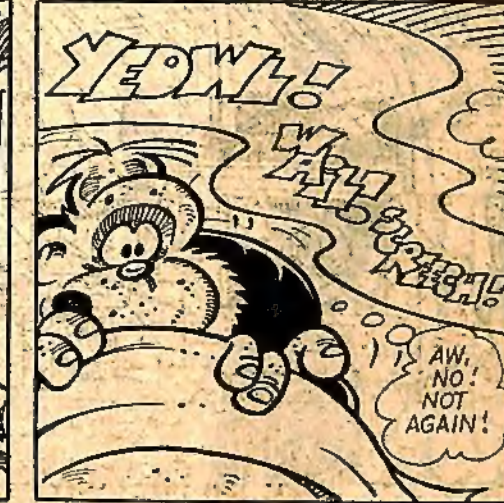
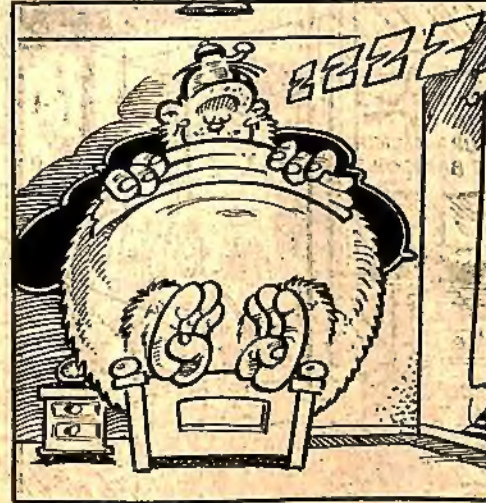


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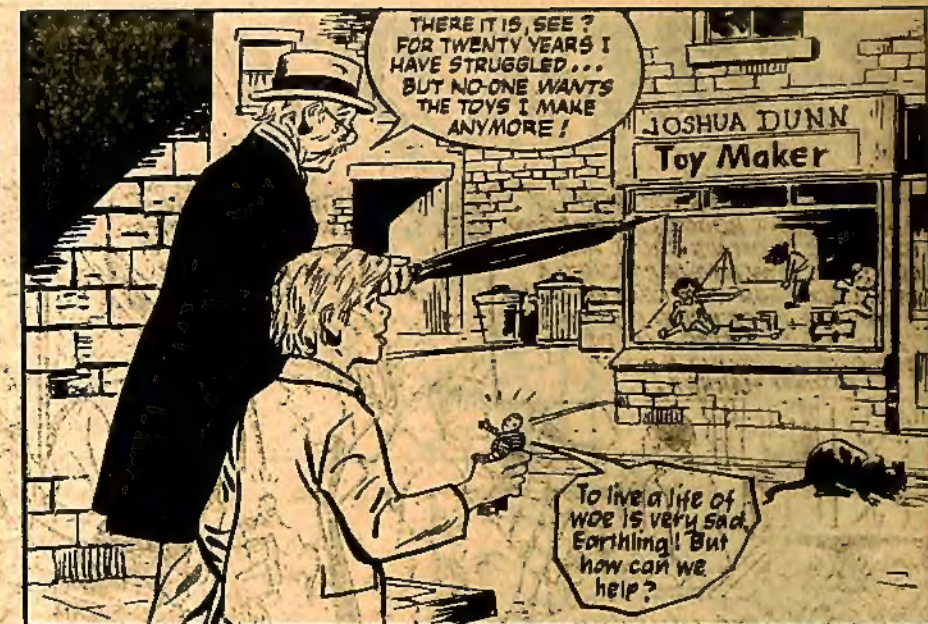
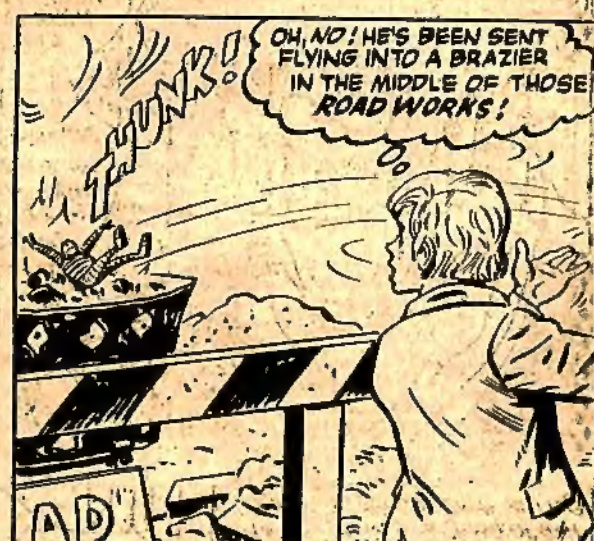
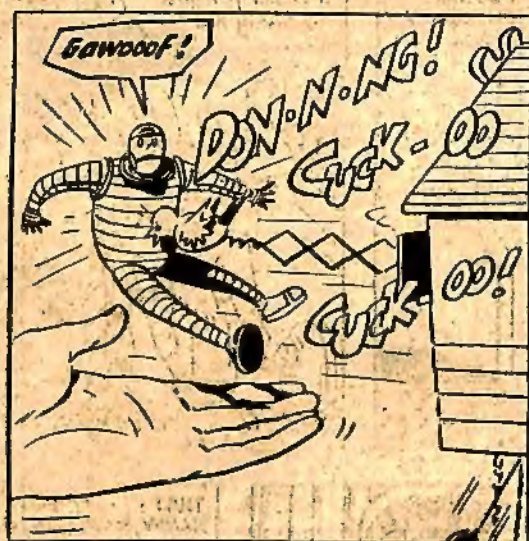
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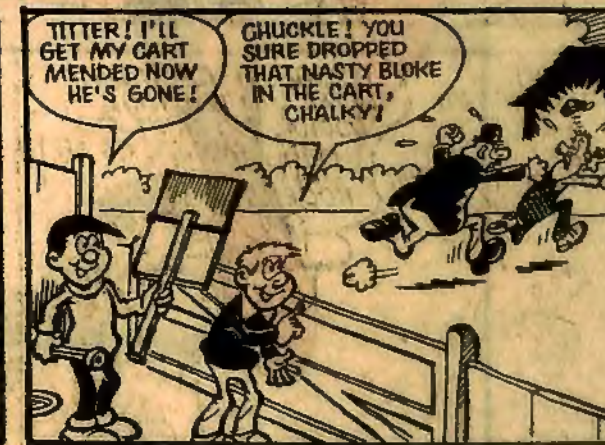
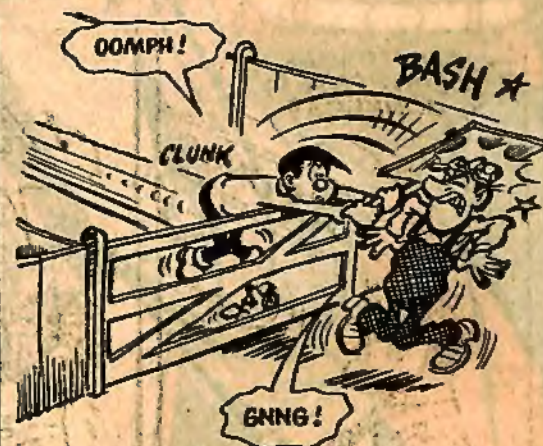
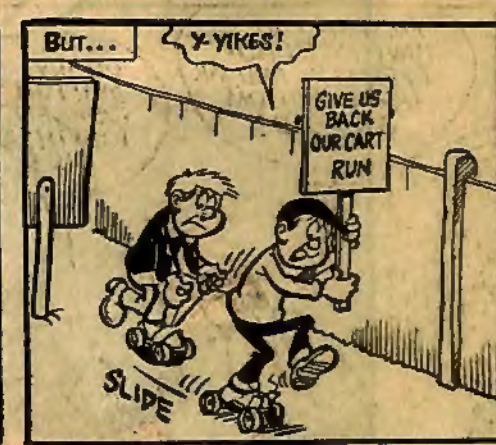
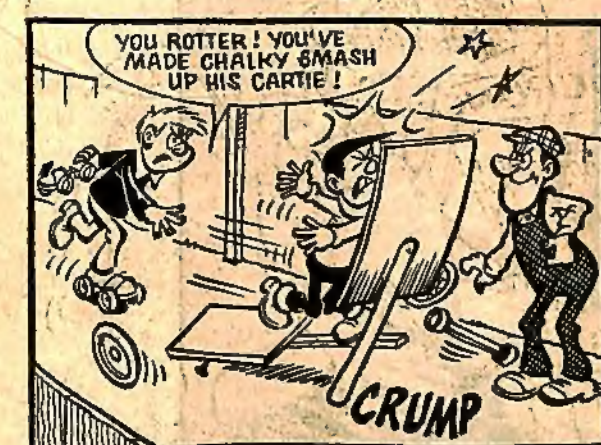
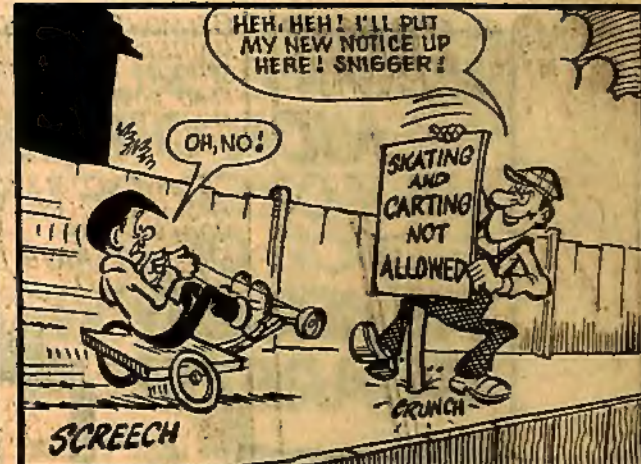
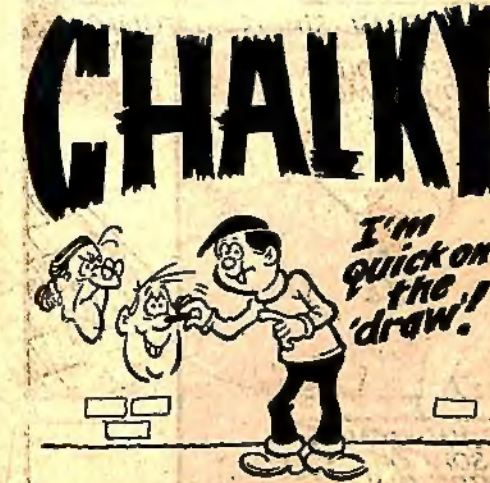
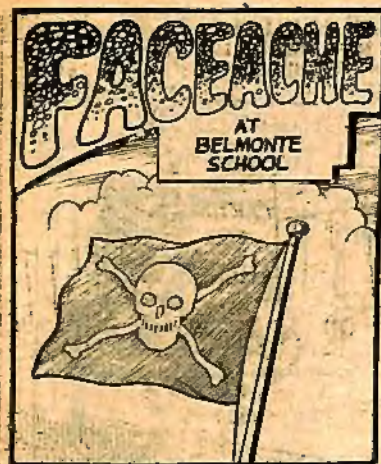
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